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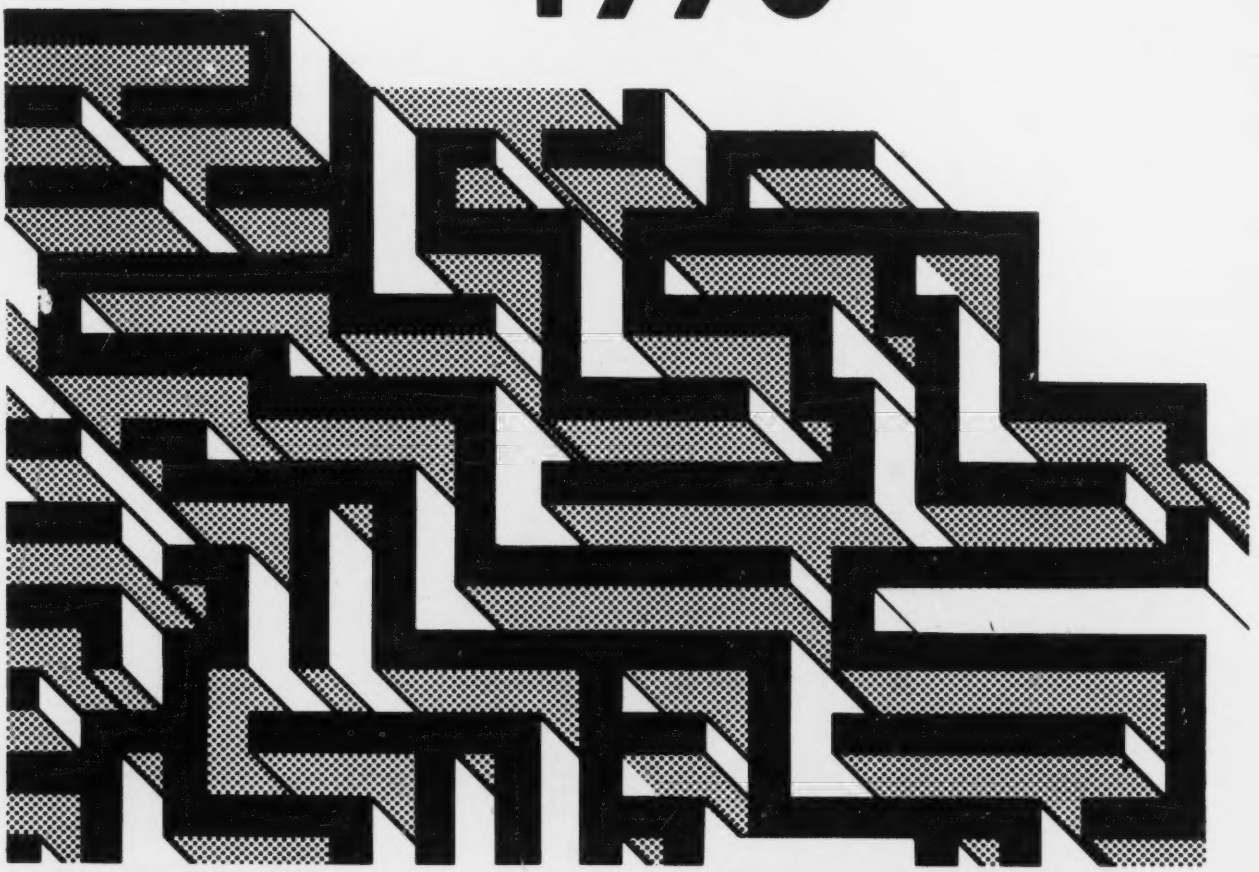

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FOREWORD

This publication of 1978 marriage and divorce statistics for Pennsylvania was prepared by the Health Data Center, Bureau of Health Data Systems, Pennsylvania Department of Health. The report presents statistical data pertaining to marriages and divorces occurring in Pennsylvania during the year 1978. The source documents for the data were transcripts prepared by an official of the county issuing the marriage license or of the court granting the divorce decree. These transcripts were forwarded to the Pennsylvania Department of Health for processing, tabulation and analysis. There is no exchange of marriage and divorce transcripts between Pennsylvania and other states. Hence, the number of marriages and divorces shown in this publication reflect only Pennsylvania occurrences.

MARRIAGES

During 1978, there were 92,682 marriages performed in Pennsylvania. This was an increase of 1,840 over the 1977 figure of 90,842. The 1978 marriage rate of 7.9 per 1,000 estimated midyear population is also higher than the 1977 rate of 7.7.

Since 1946, when the all time high rate of 12.0 was recorded, there was a gradual decline in the marriage rate to a low of 6.1 in 1958 with the same low rate in 1961 and 1962. There was an upward trend in marriages from 1962 through 1973. However, the last four years have shown substantial decreases, and in fact, 1978 marriages have decreased over ten (10) percent since 1973.

Of the 67 counties in the Commonwealth, 53 had a marriage rate equal to or higher than the overall 1978 state rate of 7.9 per 1,000 estimated midyear population. The highest rate, in Lawrence County, was 13.5 per 1,000 estimated midyear population. The remaining 14 counties were lower than the overall state marriage rate, the lowest of which was Philadelphia County with a rate of 5.3 per 1,000 estimated midyear population. The greatest decrease in marriages is reflected in Forest County where the rate dropped 58.3 percent from 1977. Conversely, Cameron County showed the greatest increase--26.9 percent as compared with the year 1977.

Approximately 82.5 percent of the marriages in Pennsylvania last year were by religious ceremonies. 81.2 percent of the brides and 78.6 percent of the grooms married in religious ceremonies were being married for the first time. Of all the brides being married in a civil ceremony, 57.5 percent were never married before, 38.9 percent were divorced, and 3.4 percent were widowed. Somewhat similar percentages were found for grooms. Tables 3 and 4 percent information pertaining to type of ceremony by previous marital status of bride and groom.

The median age of all brides last year was 23.5 years, and for grooms it was 25.2 years. The median age for brides remarrying in 1978 was 32.6 years and 35.5 years for grooms.

June was the most popular month for marriages with 11,298 or 12.2 percent of all marriages; September, with 10,700 marriages, was the second most popular month; January was the least popular month with 3,665 marriages. Brides under 20 years of age accounted for 16,573 or 17.9 percent of all brides in Pennsylvania during 1978 which is a decrease of 6.3 percent under the 17,697 figure recorded in this age group in 1977. The number of grooms in this age group decreased from 6,445 in 1977 to 5,742 in 1978 and accounted for 6.2 percent of all grooms.

The number of brides marrying in the 20-24 year age group has increased from 41,403 in 1977 to 42,250 in 1978. Also, grooms marrying in this age group increased from 38,430 in 1977 to 38,755 in 1978. In the age group 25-29 years, the number of brides has increased from 15,520 in 1977 to 16,928 in 1978, while the number of grooms has increased from 22,649 in 1977 to 23,581 in 1978.

Both bride and groom indicated they were residents of Pennsylvania in 90.0 percent of the marriages. Marriages where the bride was a resident and the groom a nonresident accounted for 5.4 percent of the marriages. Nonresident bride and resident groom accounted for 1.2 percent; and in the remaining 3.4 percent, both parties were nonresidents of Pennsylvania. All states were represented by either a bride or a groom being married in Pennsylvania in 1978. Table 20 gives the number of marriages by state of residence of bride and groom.

DIVORCES

There were 38,261 divorces granted in Pennsylvania during 1978, an increase of 393 over 1977. The divorce rate for Pennsylvania in 1978 was 3.3 per 1,000 estimated midyear population. Table 21 shows the number of divorces and the corresponding rate for each year since 1944.

Divorces, number and rate, for each county are shown in Table 2. In 35 counties the divorce rate was lower than the state rate of 3.3; 28 counties had a higher rate; and four counties matched the state rate in 1978. The highest rate, 6.2 was recorded in Dauphin County, while the lowest rate, 0.9 was recorded in Warren County.

Indignities were the leading grounds for divorce in Pennsylvania, accounting for 34,584 or 90.4 percent of all divorces in 1978. Desertion was the second leading cause of divorce with 2,517 and cruelty was third with 352. Information concerning the legal grounds for divorce is found in Tables 22 and 25.

The median age of males who were divorced in 1978 was 35.5 years, while for females it was 33.2 years. For men and women who were married once, the median age of divorce was 32.3 and 29.8, respectively. For persons married two or more times, the median age at divorce for husbands was 40.6 years and for wives 37.8 years. Of all the people who obtained divorces during 1978, the highest percentage was among persons in the 25-29 year age group.

On the average, remarriages terminate in divorce more quickly than first marriages. The average duration of all marriages ending in divorce was 10.9 years. The corresponding average duration for first marriages was 11.8 years and for remarriages, 8.5 years.

Additional information concerning this publication and other statistics relating to marriages and divorces in Pennsylvania, but not included in this report, are available upon request from:

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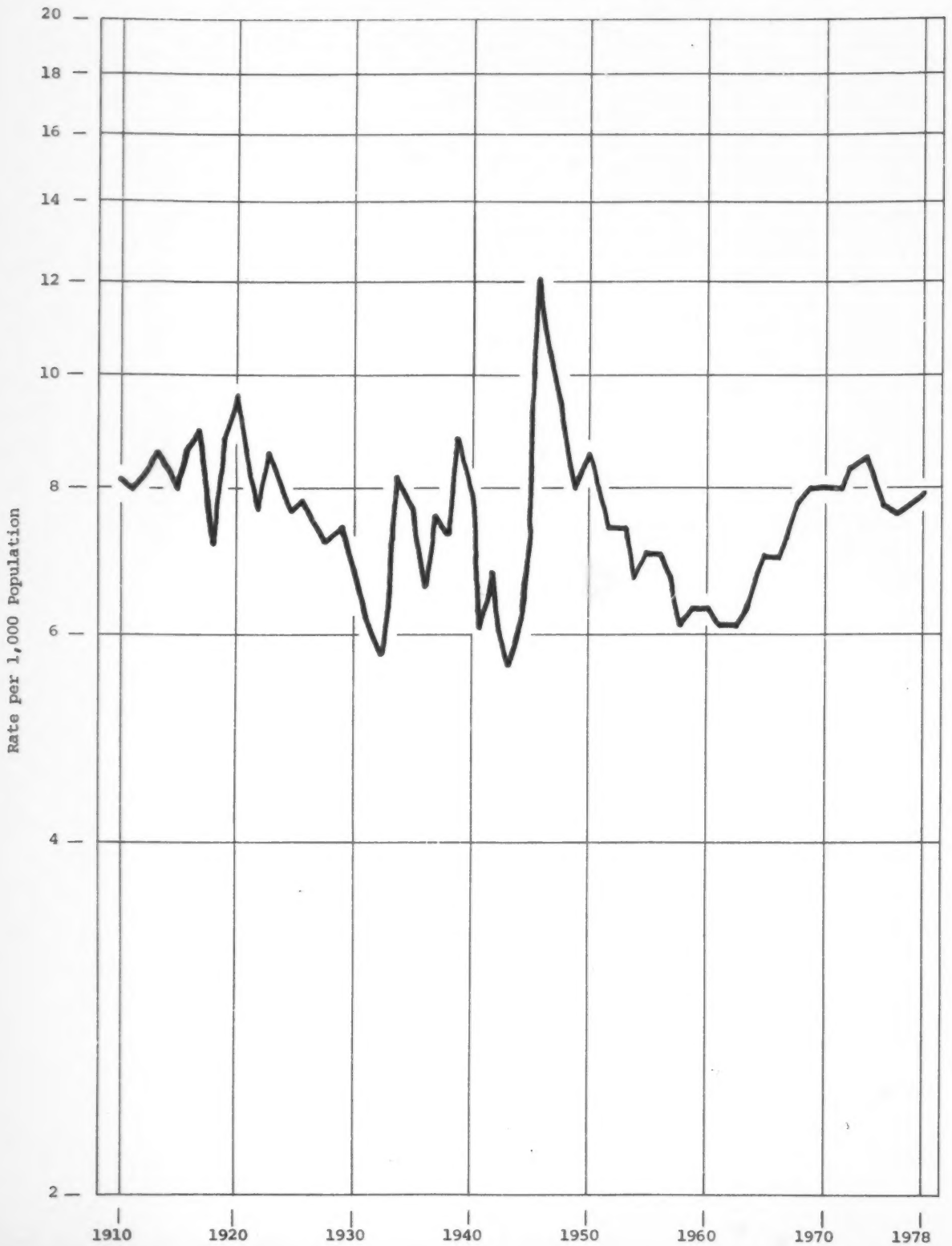


Table 1 -- MARRIAGES, NUMBER AND RATE, OCCURRING IN PENNSYLVANIA, 1906-1978

Year	Number	Rate*	Year	Number	Rate*
1906	59,327	8.3	1943	57,212	5.7
1907	60,243	8.3	1944	62,412	6.2
1908	54,302	7.3	1945	75,392	7.4
1909	57,479	7.6	1946	122,349	12.0
1910	62,495	8.1	1947	108,318	10.5
1911	62,314	8.0	1948	98,753	9.5
1912	65,081	8.2	1949	83,995	8.0
1913	69,245	8.6	1950	89,669	8.5
1914	67,567	8.3	1951	84,878	8.0
1915	65,677	8.0	1952	78,946	7.4
1916	72,023	8.6	1953	80,316	7.4
1917	76,474	9.0	1954	72,934	6.7
1918	61,737	7.2	1955	77,543	7.0
1919	76,446	8.8	1956	77,682	7.0
1920	83,865	9.6	1957	75,208	6.7
1921	72,981	8.2	1958	67,203	6.1
1922	68,567	7.7	1959	71,719	6.3
1923	77,666	8.6	1960	71,835	6.3
1924	73,331	8.0	1961	69,617	6.1
1925	71,093	7.7	1962	68,916	6.1
1926	72,222	7.8	1963	72,024	6.3
1927	71,130	7.6	1964	76,660	6.7
1928	67,652	7.2	1965	80,187	7.0
1929	70,507	7.4	1966	81,337	7.0
1930	65,143	6.8	1967	85,508	7.3
1931	60,158	6.2	1968	91,947	7.8
1932	56,031	5.8	1969	94,861	8.0
1933	63,459	6.5	1970	94,516	8.0
1934	79,602	8.2	1971	94,663	8.0
1935	74,867	7.7	1972	98,496	8.3
1936	64,723	6.6	1973	101,076	8.5
1937	74,907	7.6	1974	96,663	8.2
1938	71,861	7.3	1975	91,665	7.7
1939	86,710	8.8	1976	90,442	7.6
1940	78,207	7.9	1977	90,842	7.7
1941	60,935	6.1	1978	92,682	7.9
1942	68,126	6.8			

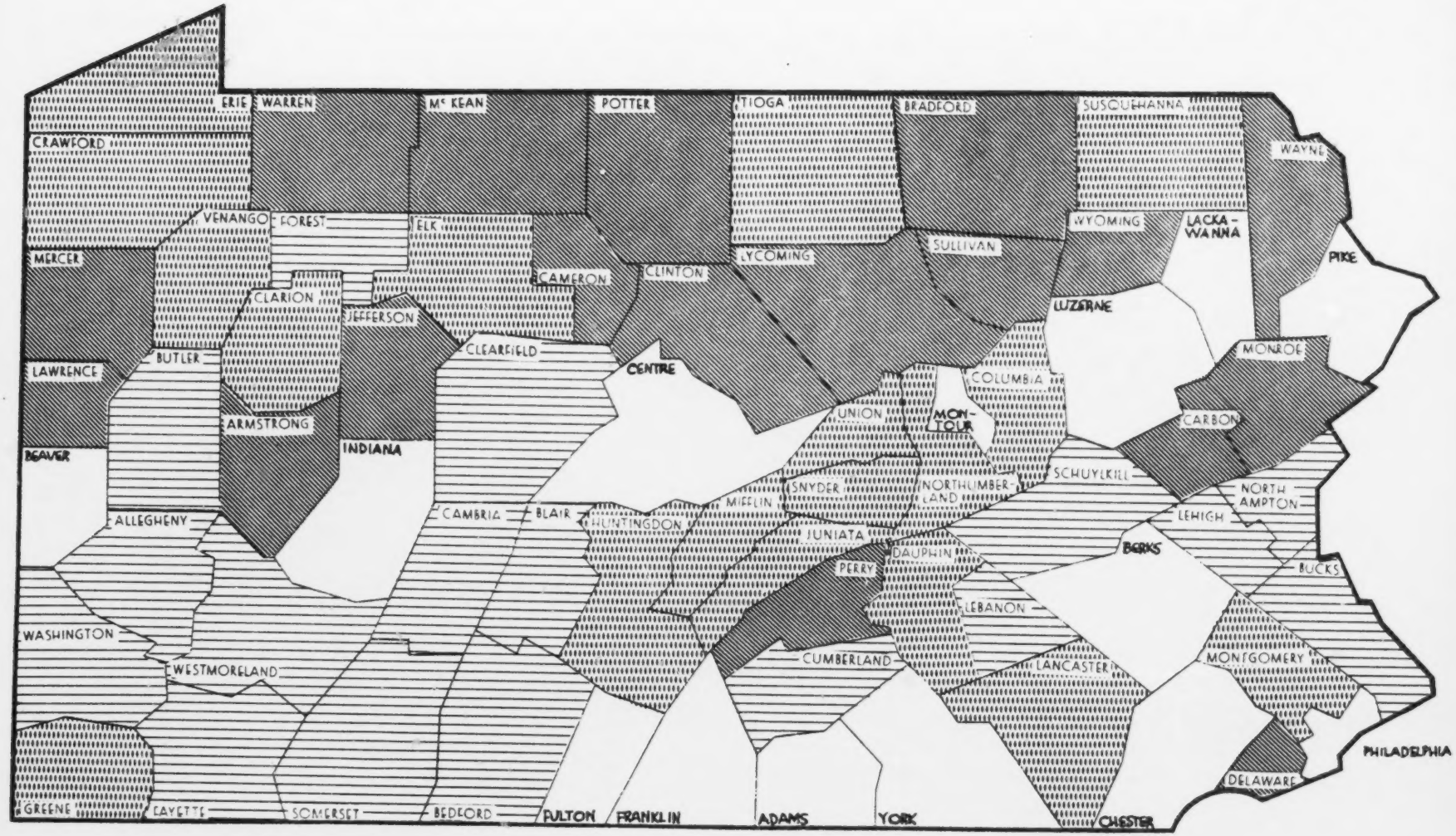
*Rate per 1,000 midyear population.

Table 2 -- MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES BY COUNTY OF OCCURRENCE, NUMBER AND RATE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

County	Marriages		Divorces		County	Marriages		Divorces	
	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*		Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*
ALL COUNTIES	92,682	7.9	38,261	3.3	Juniata	163	8.8	57	3.1
					Lackawanna	1,718	7.4	273	1.2
Adams	469	7.4	152	2.4	Lancaster	3,046	8.7	1,203	3.4
Allegheny	11,740	7.9	5,178	3.5	Lawrence	1,422	13.5	199	1.9
Armstrong	738	9.6	248	3.2	Lebanon	845	7.9	342	3.2
Beaver	1,521	7.3	550	2.6					
Bedford	359	8.2	141	3.2	Lehigh	2,096	7.9	900	3.4
					Luzerne	2,541	7.5	715	2.1
Berks	2,298	7.5	992	3.2	Lycoming	1,126	9.9	538	4.7
Blair	1,059	7.9	401	3.0	McKean	500	9.9	266	5.2
Bradford	576	9.7	230	3.9	Mercer	1,336	10.7	462	3.7
Bucks	3,757	8.0	1,338	2.8					
Butler	1,126	7.9	499	3.5	Mifflin	412	9.4	135	3.1
					Monroe	568	9.6	253	4.3
Cambria	1,492	8.1	501	2.7	Montgomery	5,285	8.4	1,795	2.9
Cameron	82	12.2	12	1.8	Montour	109	6.6	68	4.1
Carbon	447	8.5	155	3.0	Northampton	1,810	8.0	807	3.6
Centre	836	7.6	364	3.3					
Chester	1,976	6.5	971	3.2	Northumberland	835	8.4	352	3.5
					Perry	336	9.9	107	3.2
Clarion	393	9.4	112	2.7	Philadelphia	9,327	5.3	6,340	3.6
Clearfield	634	8.0	281	3.5	Pike	110	7.5	53	3.6
Clinton	366	9.7	149	3.9	Potter	200	11.8	65	3.8
Columbia	519	8.7	236	4.0					
Crawford	782	9.2	306	3.6	Schuylkill	1,238	7.9	433	2.8
					Snyder	287	9.1	84	2.7
Cumberland	1,430	8.2	378	2.2	Somerset	665	8.3	214	2.7
Dauphin	1,891	8.5	1,369	6.2	Sullivan	68	11.7	15	2.6
Delaware	5,794	10.1	1,368	2.4	Susquehanna	344	9.5	121	3.3
Elk	317	8.8	104	2.9					
Erie	2,260	8.4	1,082	4.0	Tioga	394	9.5	183	4.4
					Union	268	8.6	85	2.7
Fayette	1,283	8.2	451	2.9	Venango	569	9.1	237	3.8
Forest	42	7.9	18	3.4	Warren	458	10.0	41	0.9
Franklin	651	6.1	316	2.9	Washington	1,722	8.1	661	3.1
Fulton	69	5.7	21	1.7					
Greene	331	8.4	144	3.7	Wayne	361	10.2	115	3.3
					Westmoreland	3,139	8.3	1,098	2.9
Huntingdon	342	8.7	129	3.3	Wyoming	228	9.6	102	4.3
Indiana	678	7.7	255	2.9	York	2,275	7.8	1,330	4.6
Jefferson	505	10.7	161	3.4	Unknown	118	-	--	-

*Rate per 1,000 midyear population.

Figure 2 -- QUARTILE DISTRIBUTION OF MARRIAGE RATES BY COUNTY: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978



5.3 - 7.8 (1st Quartile)

7.9 - 8.3 (2nd Quartile)

8.4 - 9.5 (3rd Quartile)

9.6 - 13.5 (4th Quartile)

NOTE: Rate per 1,000 population -- State Rate: 7.9

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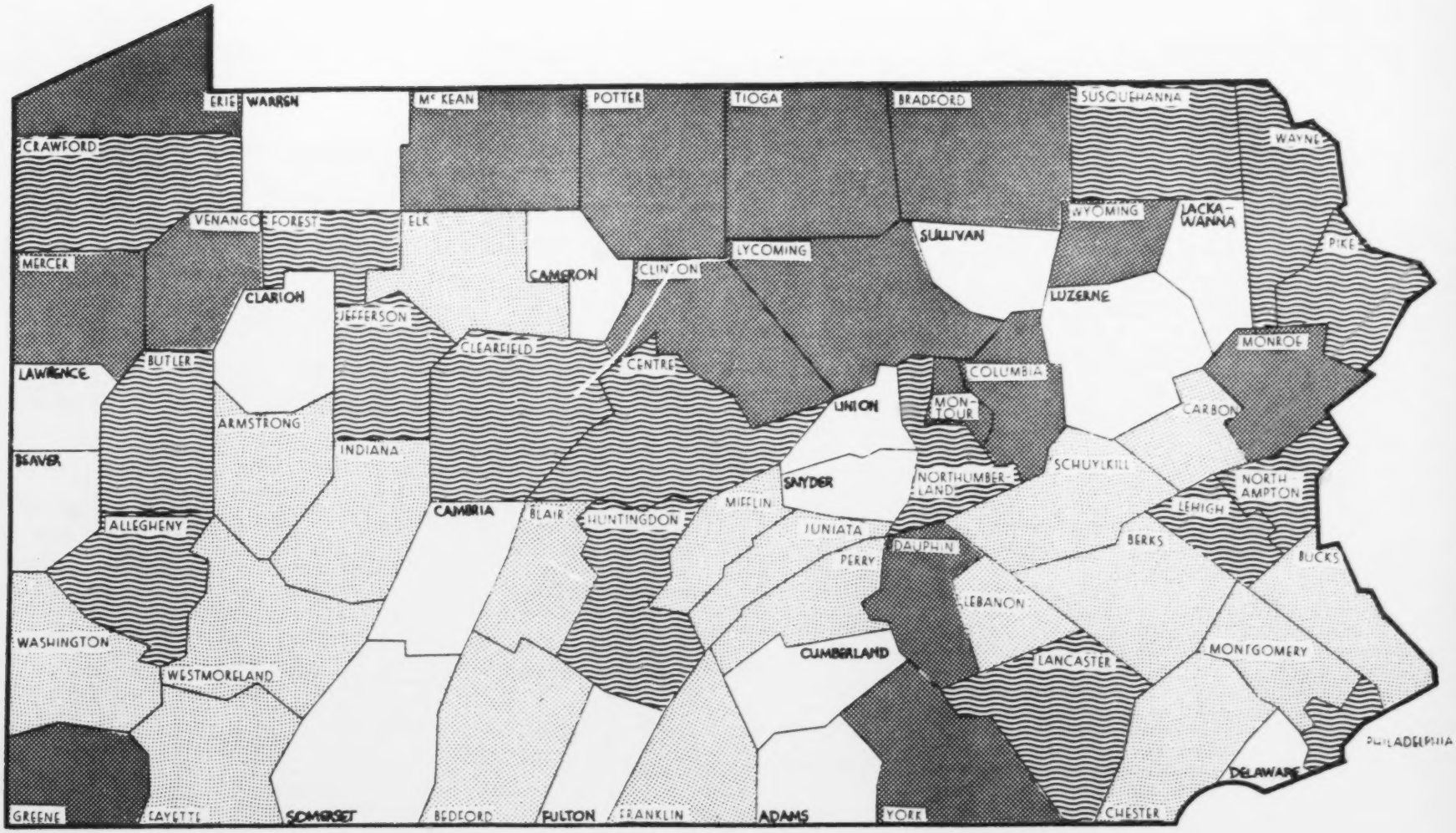
Figure 3 -- QUARTILE DISTRIBUTION OF DIVORCE RATES BY COUNTY: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978



0.9 - 2.7 (1st Quartile)

2.8 - 3.2 (2nd Quartile)

3.3 - 3.6 (3rd Quartile)

3.7 - 6.2 (4th Quartile)

NOTE: Rate per 1,000 population -- State Rate: 3.3

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Table 3 -- PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE BY RACE AND TYPE OF CEREMONY, NUMBER AND PERCENT: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Type of Ceremony	Previous Marital Status of Bride				Percent Distribution			
	Total*	Never Married	Widowed	Divorced	Total*	Never Married	Widowed	Divorced
ALL MARRIAGES	92,682	71,458	3,147	17,980	100.0	77.1	3.4	19.4
Religious	76,508	62,108	2,597	11,734	82.5	67.0	2.8	12.7
Civil	15,851	9,121	532	6,170	17.1	9.8	0.6	6.7
Not Stated	323	229	18	76	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
WHITE	86,364	66,577	2,914	16,787	100.0	77.1	3.4	19.4
Religious	71,275	58,021	2,400	10,795	82.5	67.2	2.8	12.5
Civil	14,802	8,350	499	5,926	17.1	9.7	0.6	6.9
Not Stated	287	206	15	66	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
NONWHITE	6,318	4,881	233	1,193	100.0	77.3	3.7	18.9
Religious	5,233	4,087	197	939	82.8	64.7	3 1	14.9
Civil	1,049	771	33	244	16.6	12.2	0.5	3.9
Not Stated	36	23	3	10	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.2

*Total includes transcripts of 97 brides which did not indicate previous marital status.

Table 4 -- PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF GROOM BY RACE AND TYPE OF CEREMONY, NUMBER AND PERCENT: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Type of Ceremony	Previous Marital Status of Groom				Percent Distribution			
	Total*	Never Married	Widowed	Divorced	Total*	Never Married	Widowed	Divorced
ALL MARRIAGES	92,682	69,281	3,127	20,178	100.0	74.8	3.4	21.8
Religious	76,508	60,096	2,581	13,759	82.5	64.8	2.8	14.8
Civil	15,851	8,954	533	6,340	17.1	9.7	0.6	6.8
Not Stated	323	231	13	79	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
WHITE	85,987	64,392	2,892	18,618	100.0	74.9	3.4	21.7
Religious	71,034	56,078	2,379	12,514	82.6	65.2	2.8	14.6
Civil	14,669	8,113	501	6,033	17.1	9.4	0.6	7.0
Not Stated	284	201	12	71	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
NONWHITE	6,695	4,889	235	1,560	100.0	73.0	3.5	23.3
Religious	5,474	4,018	202	1,245	81.8	60.0	3.0	18.6
Civil	1,182	841	32	307	17.7	12.6	0.5	4.6
Not Stated	39	30	1	8	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.1

*Total includes transcripts of 96 grooms which did not indicate previous marital status.

Table 5a -- ALL MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	92,682	90,842	90,442	91,665	96,663	101,076
15-19 years*	16,573	17,697	19,186	21,207	23,879	25,796
20-24 years**	42,250	41,403	41,050	41,769	44,695	47,424
25-29 years	16,928	15,520	14,417	13,597	13,239	12,945
30-34 years	6,696	6,089	5,621	5,076	4,839	4,673
35-39 years	3,437	3,065	2,836	2,681	2,581	2,576
40-44 years	2,036	1,886	1,903	1,860	1,882	1,952
45-49 years	1,426	1,588	1,673	1,717	1,790	1,815
Over 49 years	3,336	3,594	3,756	3,758	3,758	3,895

*Brides with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 year age group.
**Brides with unknown ages included in the 20-24 year age group.

Table 5b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF ALL MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978
(Computed from frequencies in Table 5a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	17.9	19.5	21.2	23.2	24.7	25.5
20-24 years	45.6	45.6	45.4	45.6	46.2	46.9
25-29 years	18.3	17.1	15.9	14.8	13.7	12.8
30-34 years	7.2	6.7	6.2	5.5	5.0	4.6
35-39 years	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.6
40-44 years	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9
45-49 years	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8
Over 49 years	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.9

Table 5c -- MARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978
(Rate per 1,000 female population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 5a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.9	15.7	16.3
15-19 years	31.7	33.1	34.6	37.4	42.3	45.8
20-24 years	82.7	81.4	78.1	78.7	85.8	92.7
25-29 years	36.4	32.5	31.1	30.1	31.2	31.7
30-34 years	16.6	14.9	14.8	14.2	13.7	13.6
35-39 years	9.8	9.4	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.3
40-44 years	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.6
45-49 years	4.0	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Over 49 years	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1

Table 6a -- FIRST MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	71,458	70,301	70,205	72,433	78,065	83,832
15-19 years*	16,462	17,551	19,017	21,015	23,712	25,551
20-24 years	39,374	38,578	38,112	38,975	42,003	44,598
25-29 years	11,527	10,396	9,433	8,867	8,857	8,873
30-34 years	2,384	2,168	1,946	1,866	1,745	1,873
35-39 years	754	678	608	642	693	727
40-44 years	331	319	376	351	369	423
45-49 years	200	230	254	273	275	298
Over 49 years	426	381	459	444	411	499

*Brides with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 year age group.

Table 6b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF FIRST MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Computed from frequencies in Table 6a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	23.0	25.0	27.1	29.0	30.4	30.9
20-24 years	55.1	54.9	54.3	53.8	53.8	53.8
25-29 years	16.1	14.8	13.4	12.2	11.3	10.7
30-34 years	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.3
35-39 years	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
40-44 years	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
45-49 years	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Over 49 years	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6

Table 6c -- FIRST MARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Rate per 1,000 female population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 6a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	11.7	11.4	11.4	11.7	12.7	13.4
15-19 years	31.5	32.9	34.3	37.1	42.0	45.3
20-24 years	77.1	75.9	72.5	73.5	80.6	87.2
25-29 years	24.8	21.8	20.3	19.6	20.9	21.8
30-34 years	5.9	5.3	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.5
35-39 years	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3
40-44 years	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2
45-49 years	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
Over 49 years	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3

Table 7a -- REMARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	21,210	20,532	20,154	19,100	18,596	18,244
15-19 years*	110	146	153	143	167	262
20-24 years	2,845	2,788	2,881	2,731	2,674	2,826
25-29 years	5,426	5,157	4,979	4,717	4,398	4,072
30-34 years	4,311	3,919	3,674	3,207	3,094	2,800
35-39 years	2,681	2,385	2,227	2,039	1,888	1,849
40-44 years	1,704	1,567	1,526	1,509	1,513	1,529
45-49 years	1,226	1,357	1,418	1,443	1,515	1,517
Over 49 years	2,907	3,213	3,296	3,311	3,347	3,396

*Brides with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 year age group.

Table 7b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF REMARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Computed from frequencies in Table 7a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.4
20-24 years	13.4	13.6	14.3	14.3	14.4	15.5
25-29 years	25.6	25.1	24.7	24.7	23.7	22.3
30-34 years	20.3	19.1	18.2	16.8	16.6	15.4
35-39 years	12.6	11.6	11.1	10.7	10.2	10.1
40-44 years	8.0	7.6	7.6	7.9	8.1	8.4
45-49 years	5.8	6.6	7.0	7.6	8.1	8.3
Over 49 years	13.7	15.7	16.3	17.3	18.0	18.6

Table 7c -- REMARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Rate per 1,000 female population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 7a)

Age of Bride	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.9
15-19 years	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5
20-24 years	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.1	5.1	5.5
25-29 years	11.7	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.0
30-34 years	10.7	9.6	9.7	9.0	8.8	8.2
35-39 years	7.7	7.3	6.9	6.6	6.1	6.0
40-44 years	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.4
45-49 years	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.8
Over 49 years	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8

Table 8a -- ALL MARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	92,682	90,842	90,442	91,665	96,663	101,076
15-19 years*	5,742	6,445	7,315	8,269	9,368	10,268
20-24 years**	38,755	38,430	39,262	41,079	45,306	48,558
25-29 years	23,581	22,649	21,592	21,027	21,133	21,497
30-34 years	9,891	8,919	8,009	7,391	7,067	6,946
35-39 years	4,802	4,222	4,009	3,664	3,519	3,467
40-44 years	2,760	2,678	2,592	2,559	2,594	2,547
45-49 years	2,033	2,098	2,052	2,171	2,143	2,206
Over 49 years	5,118	5,401	5,611	5,505	5,533	5,587

*Grooms with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 year age group.
**Grooms with unknown ages included in the 20-24 year age group.

Table 8b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF ALL MARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Computed from frequencies in Table 8a)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	6.2	7.1	8.1	9.0	9.7	10.2
20-24 years	41.8	42.3	43.4	44.8	46.9	48.0
25-29 years	25.4	24.9	23.9	22.9	21.9	21.3
30-34 years	10.7	9.8	8.8	8.1	7.3	6.9
35-39 years	5.2	4.7	4.4	4.0	3.6	3.4
40-44 years	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.5
45-49 years	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.2
Over 49 years	5.5	6.0	6.2	6.0	5.7	5.5

Table 8c -- MARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Rate per 1,000 male population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 82)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	16.5	16.1	15.9	16.2	17.0	17.7
15-19 years	10.7	11.7	12.8	14.1	16.0	17.5
20-24 years	76.0	76.1	74.6	77.7	91.4	104.6
25-29 years	53.6	50.4	52.2	54.3	56.2	57.5
30-34 years	26.8	23.7	23.1	22.0	21.4	21.6
35-39 years	15.0	14.1	13.5	12.8	12.3	12.1
40-44 years	9.1	9.3	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.0
45-49 years	6.4	6.4	6.2	6.3	6.1	6.1
Over 49 years	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8

Table 9a -- FIRST MARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	69,281	68,160	68,150	70,611	76,384	81,185
15-19 years*	5,725	6,429	7,285	8,219	9,338	10,215
20-24 years	37,461	37,097	37,815	39,604	43,923	47,005
25-29 years	18,802	17,835	16,791	16,566	16,870	17,375
30-34 years	4,607	4,173	3,648	3,478	3,430	3,510
35-39 years	1,252	1,184	1,056	1,096	1,141	1,199
40-44 years	531	500	564	567	586	716
45-49 years	325	338	370	427	441	465
Over 49 years	578	604	621	654	655	700

*Grooms with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 year age group.

Table 9b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF FIRST MARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Computed from frequencies in Table 9a)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	8.3	9.4	10.7	11.6	12.2	12.6
20-24 years	54.1	54.4	55.5	56.1	57.5	57.9
25-29 years	27.1	26.2	24.6	23.5	22.1	21.4
30-34 years	6.6	6.1	5.4	4.9	4.5	4.3
35-39 years	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5
40-44 years	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9
45-49 years	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6
Over 49 years	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8

Table 9c -- FIRST MARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Rate per 1,000 male population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 9a)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	12.3	12.1	12.0	12.5	13.5	14.2
15-19 years	10.7	11.6	12.7	14.0	15.9	17.4
20-24 years	73.4	73.5	71.9	75.0	88.6	101.2
25-29 years	42.7	39.7	40.6	42.8	44.8	46.5
30-34 years	12.5	11.1	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.9
35-39 years	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.2
40-44 years	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.2
45-49 years	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3
Over 49 years	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5

Table 10a -- REMARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	23,386	22,677	22,216	20,930	20,277	19,891
15-19 years*	16	16	23	24	29	53
20-24 years	1,272	1,317	1,388	1,411	1,375	1,553
25-29 years	4,774	4,829	4,800	4,441	4,270	4,122
30-34 years	5,300	4,745	4,357	3,910	3,637	3,436
35-39 years	3,547	3,037	2,951	2,565	2,378	2,268
40-44 years	2,229	2,178	2,028	1,991	2,008	1,831
45-49 years	1,708	1,759	1,681	1,742	1,702	1,741
Over 49 years	4,540	4,796	4,988	4,846	4,878	4,887

*Grooms with ages under 15 years included in the 15-19 age group.

Table 10b -- PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF REMARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Computed from frequencies in Table 10a)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15-19 years	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
20-24 years	5.4	5.8	6.3	6.7	6.8	7.8
25-29 years	20.4	21.3	21.6	21.2	21.1	20.7
30-34 years	22.7	20.9	19.6	18.7	17.9	17.3
35-39 years	15.2	13.4	13.3	12.3	11.7	11.4
40-44 years	9.5	9.6	9.1	9.5	9.9	9.2
45-49 years	7.3	7.8	7.6	8.3	8.4	8.7
Over 49 years	19.4	21.1	22.4	23.2	24.1	24.6

Table 10c -- REMARRIAGE RATES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1973-1978

(Rate per 1,000 male population in each age group computed from frequencies in Table 10a)

Age of Groom	Year					
	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
ALL AGES	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.5
15-19 years	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
20-24 years	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.3
25-29 years	10.8	10.7	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.0
30-34 years	14.4	12.6	12.6	11.6	11.0	10.7
35-39 years	11.1	10.2	9.9	8.9	8.3	7.9
40-44 years	7.4	7.6	7.0	6.8	6.6	5.7
45-49 years	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.8
Over 49 years	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3

Table 11 -- PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS BY RACE AND AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age (In Years)	All Marriages		Never Married		Widowed		Divorced	
	White*	Nonwhite*	White	Nonwhite	White	Nonwhite	White	Nonwhite
ALL AGES	86,364	6,318	66,577	4,881	2,914	233	16,787	1,193
Under 15	23	4	22	4	--	--	1	--
15	190	9	190	9	--	--	--	--
16	942	40	939	40	--	--	3	--
17	2,068	101	2,065	100	--	--	3	--
18	5,014	240	4,984	240	3	--	25	--
19	7,533	409	7,464	405	2	1	66	3
20	8,457	414	8,259	412	6	--	189	2
21	8,827	492	8,478	488	11	--	333	4
22	9,017	470	8,427	459	6	--	578	10
23	7,626	460	6,888	431	19	1	716	28
24	5,947	444	5,062	404	25	1	859	39
25	4,641	353	3,688	318	30	1	920	33
26	3,837	318	2,720	275	23	5	1,084	37
27	2,967	231	1,899	179	38	--	1,025	51
28	2,237	259	1,251	184	40	4	944	71
29	1,869	216	881	132	20	4	964	79
30	1,626	210	640	112	37	5	946	93
31	1,540	168	553	86	40	6	945	75
32	1,194	115	396	64	36	2	759	49
33	826	123	227	66	29	6	569	51
34	796	98	191	49	27	3	574	44
35	800	94	172	42	47	3	578	49
36	742	83	130	41	44	6	566	36
37	560	84	102	31	29	5	428	48
38	521	66	113	25	41	6	365	35
39	421	66	75	23	36	4	310	39
40-44	1,771	265	221	110	246	25	1,298	130
45-49	1,275	151	155	45	326	18	789	87
50-54	1,140	131	119	45	478	41	542	44
55-59	702	93	85	30	407	33	209	30
60-64	537	52	61	17	364	20	110	15
65-69	344	34	32	8	269	18	41	8
70-74	181	13	19	2	147	10	15	1
Over 74	102	7	7	1	85	5	9	1
Unknown	91	5	62	4	3	--	24	1

*Total includes 86 white brides and 11 nonwhite brides whose previous marital status was not indicated.

Table 12 -- PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS BY RACE AND AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age (In Years)	All Marriages		Never Married		Widowed		Divorced	
	White*	Nonwhite*	White	Nonwhite	White	Nonwhite	White	Nonwhite
ALL AGES	85,987	6,695	64,392	4,889	2,892	235	18,618	1,560
Under 15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
15	5	1	3	1	--	--	2	--
16	53	2	53	2	--	--	--	--
17	397	15	397	15	--	--	--	--
18	1,563	56	1,561	56	--	--	1	--
19	3,475	175	3,462	175	--	--	11	--
20	5,371	308	5,337	307	1	--	31	1
21	6,994	385	6,885	384	1	--	108	1
22	8,273	448	8,088	439	5	--	179	9
23	8,456	461	8,079	443	2	--	372	17
24	7,538	455	7,018	436	6	--	513	19
25	6,145	420	5,475	391	10	--	655	29
26	5,441	399	4,553	355	11	3	871	40
27	4,166	356	3,225	308	19	--	919	48
28	3,344	290	2,374	236	17	1	951	51
29	2,760	260	1,689	196	15	1	1,049	63
30	2,509	238	1,417	161	25	1	1,064	75
31	2,308	222	1,059	142	25	--	1,221	80
32	1,785	198	792	113	17	1	971	84
33	1,209	164	433	88	15	3	758	73
34	1,132	126	345	57	20	1	763	67
35	1,106	132	304	55	25	1	775	75
36	1,022	121	261	50	23	7	737	64
37	781	109	200	49	15	1	565	57
38	713	106	153	42	16	3	540	61
39	630	82	115	23	25	5	484	54
40-44	2,428	332	417	114	137	16	1,869	202
45-49	1,796	237	241	84	216	20	1,336	133
50-54	1,500	226	180	70	393	34	925	122
55-59	1,066	153	107	48	449	29	509	76
60-64	772	84	65	18	426	33	275	31
65-69	557	51	35	10	423	28	98	13
70-74	347	45	14	16	298	23	35	6
Over 74	284	33	12	3	255	24	17	6
Unknown	61	5	43	2	2	--	14	3

*Total includes 85 white grooms and 11 nonwhite grooms whose previous marital status was not indicated.

Table 13 -- PRIOR MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age of Bride (In Years)	All Marriages*	Prior Marriages				
		First Marriages*	One	Two	Three or More	Number Not Stated
ALL AGES	92,682	71,458	19,006	1,874	204	126
Under 15	27	26	1	--	--	--
15	199	199	--	--	--	--
16	982	979	3	--	--	--
17	2,169	2,165	4	--	--	--
18	5,254	5,224	29	--	--	--
19	7,942	7,869	73	--	--	--
20	8,871	8,671	199	--	--	--
21	9,319	8,966	344	8	--	1
22	9,487	8,886	581	15	--	5
23	8,086	7,319	755	12	--	--
24	6,391	5,466	883	34	--	8
25	4,994	4,006	943	34	2	9
26	4,155	2,995	1,093	54	4	7
27	3,198	2,078	1,058	52	6	4
28	2,496	1,435	993	63	3	1
29	2,085	1,013	984	79	5	4
30	1,836	752	982	85	12	5
31	1,708	639	955	101	7	6
32	1,309	460	758	80	4	6
33	949	293	577	64	8	7
34	894	240	575	68	8	3
35	894	214	583	85	6	6
36	825	171	559	75	11	8
37	644	133	428	66	9	7
38	587	138	382	55	5	7
39	487	98	324	56	8	1
40-44	2,036	331	1,426	232	37	9
45-49	1,426	200	1,021	169	26	10
50-54	1,271	164	957	126	19	5
55-59	795	115	575	93	10	1
60-64	589	78	419	79	9	4
65-69	378	40	295	40	2	--
70-74	194	21	135	35	2	1
Over 74	109	8	87	12	--	1
Unknown	96	66	25	2	1	--

*Total includes 14 transcripts which did not indicate whether this marriage was a first or remarriage.

Table 14 -- PRIOR MARRIAGES BY AGE OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age of Groom (In Years)	All Marriages*	Prior Marriages				
		First Marriage	One	Two	Three Or More	Number Not Stated
ALL AGES	92,682	69,281	20,923	2,104	211	148
Under 15	--	--	--	--	--	--
15	6	4	2	--	--	--
16	55	55	--	--	--	--
17	412	412	--	--	--	--
18	1,619	1,617	2	--	--	--
19	3,650	3,637	12	--	--	--
20	5,679	5,644	33	1	--	--
21	7,379	7,269	107	--	--	3
22	8,721	8,527	193	1	--	--
23	8,917	8,522	387	4	--	4
24	7,993	7,454	524	7	--	8
25	6,565	5,866	682	14	--	2
26	5,840	4,908	897	23	2	10
27	4,522	3,533	950	34	1	3
28	3,634	2,610	963	53	3	5
29	3,020	1,885	1,063	61	3	5
30	2,747	1,578	1,092	68	2	7
31	2,530	1,201	1,210	98	10	11
32	1,983	905	978	89	4	7
33	1,373	521	762	79	4	6
34	1,258	402	743	99	6	6
35	1,238	359	778	92	4	4
36	1,143	311	732	81	10	8
37	890	249	546	79	10	6
38	819	195	548	63	11	2
39	712	138	497	69	4	3
40-44	2,760	531	1,903	274	38	14
45-49	2,033	325	1,445	222	31	10
50-54	1,726	250	1,239	205	25	7
55-59	1,219	155	922	120	15	7
60-64	856	83	659	102	8	4
65-69	608	45	481	74	6	2
70-74	392	30	305	48	7	2
Over 74	317	15	251	43	7	1
Unknown	66	45	17	1	--	1

*Total includes 15 transcripts which did not indicate whether this marriage was a first or remarriage.

Table 15 -- ALL MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE

Age of Groom (In Years)	All Ages	Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
ALL AGES	92,682	27	199	982	2,169	5,254	7,942	8,871	9,319	9,487	8,086	6,391	4,994	4,155	3,198
Under 15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
15	6	--	2	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
16	55	--	3	15	16	12	5	2	--	1	--	--	1	--	--
17	412	--	24	91	103	103	44	28	6	6	1	3	1	--	--
18	1,619	7	42	194	323	491	310	127	51	32	5	5	9	6	3
19	3,650	7	43	217	474	949	1,072	471	180	94	46	21	16	17	14
20	5,679	4	28	164	414	1,054	1,513	1,284	585	269	123	88	43	25	18
21	7,379	2	25	111	314	912	1,457	1,664	1,556	661	269	134	73	62	39
22	8,721	1	16	59	157	640	1,158	1,591	1,795	1,754	719	322	166	90	67
23	8,917	--	5	41	122	372	811	1,172	1,523	1,828	1,598	616	281	195	118
24	7,993	2	1	22	93	260	482	832	1,141	1,420	1,372	1,097	494	294	158
25	6,565	1	1	15	55	150	337	486	706	996	1,080	952	738	408	209
26	5,840	1	4	17	34	85	237	345	528	673	791	835	736	593	319
27	4,522	--	--	6	18	59	147	231	365	466	488	579	567	496	389
28	3,634	--	--	4	12	37	91	174	217	320	381	402	373	382	377
29	3,020	--	1	7	6	29	62	101	137	220	291	282	330	332	291
30	2,747	--	--	4	3	21	51	87	108	198	225	230	262	286	223
31	2,530	--	--	5	6	16	43	72	105	152	188	219	208	234	212
32	1,983	1	--	--	9	9	26	51	87	100	106	145	158	175	163
33	1,373	--	1	2	3	14	21	26	38	59	69	87	108	108	88
34	1,258	--	--	3	3	3	14	28	41	46	82	88	83	72	93
35-39	4,802	1	2	2	1	19	38	56	104	134	170	205	229	268	284
40-44	2,760	--	--	1	1	1	5	22	24	31	50	55	80	69	80
45-49	2,033	--	--	--	1	5	4	10	7	14	16	16	22	25	31
50-54	1,726	--	1	1	--	2	4	5	4	4	8	3	13	6	13
55-59	1,219	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2	1	2	4	4
60-64	856	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	1	--	3	1	5	2
65-69	608	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	1	--	2	--	--	--	--
70-74	392	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Over 74	317	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	1	--	1	--	--	--
Unknown	66	--	--	--	--	8	9	5	8	5	3	2	--	3	2

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Age of Bride (In Years)																
28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35 thru 39	40 thru 44	45 thru 49	50 thru 54	55 thru 59	60 thru 64	65 thru 69	70 thru 74	Over 74	Un-known
2,496	2,085	1,836	1,708	1,309	949	894	3,437	2,036	1,426	1,271	795	589	378	194	109	96
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2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
5	6	4	5	2	1	2	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3
17	8	8	7	10	2	--	8	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	2
32	14	12	9	4	11	1	10	2	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	5
50	41	22	17	9	5	5	16	8	1	--	--	--	1	--	1	2
70	49	26	27	11	9	8	19	6	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	10
93	63	54	26	16	11	15	30	6	5	2	--	--	--	--	--	8
108	94	70	50	27	21	15	26	11	--	2	--	--	1	--	--	4
192	136	94	63	48	24	24	46	7	1	1	--	1	--	--	--	6
213	143	114	79	45	32	27	42	8	1	1	1	--	--	--	--	5
273	163	108	90	65	41	25	81	12	1	1	1	--	--	--	--	5
245	197	136	106	70	43	27	80	20	5	1	--	--	--	--	--	3
249	199	172	130	80	51	35	108	16	3	2	--	--	--	--	--	1
177	181	190	159	89	60	50	124	28	6	5	--	--	--	--	--	4
156	139	129	120	120	52	47	144	31	11	--	2	--	1	--	--	1
98	105	88	112	84	60	50	113	29	9	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
86	77	84	87	65	53	53	145	37	13	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
259	285	282	350	274	233	230	923	319	101	17	1	2	--	--	--	1
89	98	131	148	156	126	154	723	450	183	64	13	1	2	--	--	13
47	52	70	76	79	72	64	426	465	335	156	32	5	1	--	--	3
24	26	22	32	40	21	38	211	345	369	365	119	36	8	3	1	2
5	5	11	10	13	12	17	109	151	233	317	227	66	24	1	1	2
2	1	3	4	--	6	3	30	54	107	193	194	163	62	15	5	--
1	1	1	--	--	1	1	11	19	25	96	132	170	105	34	4	2
1	--	--	--	--	--	2	5	6	9	29	52	82	110	73	22	--
--	--	1	--	--	--	--	2	3	6	14	19	61	62	68	75	1
2	--	3	--	--	--	--	3	1	--	--	1	1	1	--	--	9

Table 16 -- FIRST MARRIAGE OF BOTH BRIDE AND GROOM

Age of Groom (In Years)	All Ages	Age of Bride (In Years)													
		Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
ALL AGES	61,895	26	193	941	2,074	4,992	7,381	8,046	8,201	8,029	6,466	4,622	3,246	2,328	1,500
Under 15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
15	4	--	2	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
16	55	--	3	15	16	12	5	2	--	1	--	--	1	--	--
17	401	--	24	91	103	101	42	27	5	2	1	3	1	--	--
18	1,579	7	42	194	323	490	306	122	48	29	4	2	2	3	1
19	3,547	7	43	217	473	943	1,067	466	171	79	35	12	6	11	8
20	5,467	4	28	161	407	1,048	1,500	1,266	564	245	103	67	18	18	10
21	6,979	2	24	110	309	894	1,422	1,624	1,504	612	238	107	55	30	18
22	8,133	1	15	58	149	613	1,119	1,546	1,731	1,692	669	260	114	50	42
23	8,009	--	4	36	110	345	748	1,100	1,432	1,724	1,497	531	214	120	59
24	6,843	2	1	20	77	234	422	741	1,024	1,290	1,264	962	405	204	86
25	5,265	1	1	12	42	128	277	412	604	867	930	798	616	295	129
26	4,259	1	3	9	27	67	174	262	425	544	636	668	572	424	205
27	2,993	--	--	4	15	34	104	174	263	351	357	425	399	336	241
28	2,102	--	--	2	7	22	62	108	149	208	252	251	241	230	216
29	1,498	--	--	5	3	17	36	58	81	107	169	177	195	182	142
30	1,188	--	--	1	1	8	29	48	58	112	103	115	136	135	90
31	868	--	--	2	4	7	18	29	41	55	83	83	85	95	82
32	641	--	--	--	6	4	10	14	34	42	34	59	72	71	54
33	361	--	1	1	--	4	8	13	9	19	26	31	32	28	26
34	279	--	--	1	--	1	4	11	12	8	15	21	27	23	20
35-39	728	1	2	1	--	9	12	13	31	30	37	38	44	58	56
40-44	255	--	--	--	1	--	1	2	5	5	7	8	5	12	12
45-49	146	--	--	--	--	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1
50-54	105	--	--	--	--	--	3	1	1	--	--	1	2	--	2
55-59	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	--	2	--	--
60-64	39	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
65-69	25	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
70-74	15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Over 74	11	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Unknown	41	--	--	--	--	7	8	5	6	4	2	1	--	1	--

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Age of Bride (In Years)																
28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35 thru 39	40 thru 44	45 thru 49	50 thru 54	55 thru 59	60 thru 64	65 thru 69	70 thru 74	Over 74	Unknown
1,010	687	458	380	242	177	116	347	140	79	68	47	25	12	5	1	56
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1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3
2	2	--	1	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2
8	5	--	5	3	1	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	4
12	4	2	2	1	5	1	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
22	18	9	3	2	1	3	4	3	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	8
38	17	7	7	4	3	3	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	7
44	28	14	5	2	5	4	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3
53	38	24	11	8	3	4	3	2	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	6
93	63	32	19	8	5	6	9	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	5
123	62	38	21	18	11	7	7	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	2
156	72	40	30	20	13	5	15	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
112	91	45	30	20	13	3	9	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
110	87	55	41	15	12	10	20	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
68	54	53	48	16	13	5	20	4	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
58	38	38	33	25	8	8	25	5	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
27	32	16	30	20	14	4	13	6	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
21	19	21	19	11	7	10	22	5	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
44	45	41	41	40	35	20	93	25	10	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
8	9	9	20	22	13	13	57	26	12	7	1	--	--	--	--	--
7	2	11	9	5	10	4	20	28	15	12	2	1	--	--	--	--
3	1	--	3	1	1	5	11	18	18	22	8	4	--	--	--	--
--	--	1	--	--	3	--	6	4	8	10	16	3	2	--	--	1
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Table 17 -- MONTH OF MARRIAGE BY COUNTY OF MARRIAGE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

County	Total	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ALL COUNTIES	92,682	3,665	4,110	4,713	7,800	9,101	11,298	9,676	10,046	10,700	8,813	7,016	5,744
Adams	469	19	27	23	46	56	62	38	41	48	52	25	32
Allegheny	11,740	428	491	581	1,014	1,157	1,382	1,268	1,379	1,354	1,098	892	696
Armstrong	738	26	30	33	48	71	87	79	80	87	81	71	45
Beaver	1,521	45	62	68	122	163	188	165	148	172	169	108	111
Bedford	359	16	23	27	21	29	47	39	42	32	45	25	13
Berks	2,298	93	114	125	194	242	250	230	234	253	204	185	174
Blair	1,059	56	41	52	92	93	131	123	115	106	95	86	69
Bradford	576	23	21	27	47	55	75	75	59	63	45	41	45
Bucks	3,757	182	184	166	371	385	448	363	351	455	371	273	208
Butler	1,126	31	48	52	83	103	140	151	129	124	90	82	93
Cambria	1,492	51	57	54	126	121	198	170	176	182	159	98	100
Cameron	82	5	1	6	6	11	11	6	7	7	7	9	6
Carbon	447	16	15	18	48	52	55	47	41	60	38	33	24
Centre	836	33	26	47	60	74	113	106	108	80	79	53	57
Chester	1,976	90	68	106	140	239	236	211	203	214	184	152	133
Clarion	393	16	11	17	29	36	36	47	59	39	47	25	31
Clearfield	634	21	23	34	39	65	74	72	82	79	61	50	34
Clinton	366	10	17	27	27	28	41	47	36	37	34	41	21
Columbia	519	21	19	22	36	56	69	58	46	51	52	42	47
Crawford	782	27	38	47	60	67	107	99	82	75	77	52	51
Cumberland	1,430	59	76	87	115	144	174	154	160	146	117	89	109
Dauphin	1,891	84	90	96	162	198	222	201	190	192	156	147	153
Delaware	5,794	262	293	316	509	572	676	487	551	765	567	472	324
Elk	317	9	14	16	21	36	47	37	45	37	21	15	19
Erie	2,260	83	108	156	188	265	286	340	306	281	207	29	11
Fayette	1,283	50	51	57	108	116	151	172	130	137	110	121	80
Forest	42	--	4	2	5	2	4	7	3	5	3	5	2
Franklin	651	19	33	43	54	66	101	79	58	68	59	35	36
Fulton	69	5	4	6	4	3	8	10	8	7	6	5	3
Greene	331	11	13	19	22	32	43	41	39	32	31	25	23
Huntingdon	342	10	25	21	21	26	42	35	44	37	24	27	30
Indiana	678	23	24	39	57	55	93	79	90	74	58	54	32
Jefferson	505	26	22	28	44	48	55	53	50	54	56	41	28

Table 17 -- MONTH OF MARRIAGE BY COUNTY OF MARRIAGE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978 -- Continued

County	Total	Month of Marriage											
		Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Juniata	163	8	7	8	14	16	15	15	17	20	15	16	12
Lackawanna	1,718	69	75	70	146	176	189	176	209	207	178	127	96
Lancaster	3,046	114	138	162	252	303	355	291	315	346	261	263	246
Lawrence	1,422	65	61	78	116	122	178	162	155	130	134	112	109
Lebanon	845	34	27	46	69	72	105	89	104	76	77	86	60
Lehigh	2,096	93	93	81	178	212	267	225	235	240	206	144	122
Luzerne	2,541	92	92	99	232	251	285	275	322	336	237	192	128
Lycoming	1,126	35	46	54	99	108	144	126	143	127	100	66	78
McKean	500	22	28	24	36	44	60	64	47	48	50	45	32
Mercer	1,336	47	60	71	109	116	168	153	182	122	108	106	94
Mifflin	412	21	15	22	35	31	58	37	39	41	49	38	26
Monroe	568	32	22	27	44	47	66	64	65	58	51	43	49
Montgomery	5,285	219	214	253	427	538	692	475	576	624	518	407	342
Montour	109	4	7	4	9	10	16	14	12	13	8	7	5
Northampton	1,810	71	89	92	151	184	222	165	194	229	158	135	120
Northumberland	835	33	29	53	95	81	98	87	88	83	75	63	50
Perry	336	14	11	21	32	34	46	31	24	41	31	26	25
Philadelphia	9,327	402	461	517	834	976	1,135	764	857	1,171	969	770	471
Pike	110	5	8	1	10	8	16	8	14	13	11	9	7
Potter	200	7	8	10	10	16	29	23	25	30	23	8	11
Schuylkill	1,238	34	58	61	122	123	147	140	125	128	134	103	63
Snyder	287	5	12	21	23	26	38	33	26	35	26	19	23
Somerset	665	28	24	36	57	57	84	80	77	67	65	48	42
Sullivan	68	---	2	2	5	7	8	7	7	10	8	4	8
Susquehanna	344	8	12	16	21	25	44	42	41	41	32	36	26
Tioga	394	17	20	25	26	33	56	41	42	41	39	26	28
Union	268	13	5	15	20	26	31	34	31	30	22	28	13
Venango	569	22	23	32	48	48	79	54	63	66	47	45	42
Warren	458	20	31	19	40	39	52	56	48	48	43	29	33
Washington	1,722	59	75	92	160	148	209	183	201	189	143	142	121
Wayne	361	10	15	14	16	32	39	42	46	54	48	24	21
Westmoreland	3,139	108	152	127	224	295	381	367	347	379	298	253	208
Wyoming	228	11	12	12	8	19	33	34	32	21	17	17	12
York	2,275	90	97	124	190	204	286	221	239	261	224	164	175
Unknown	118	3	8	6	23	8	15	9	6	22	5	7	6

Table 18 -- ALL MARRIAGES, FIRST MARRIAGES, AND REMARRIAGES, BY RESIDENT STATUS OF BRIDE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Resident Status	All Marriages	First Marriages	Remarriages	Not Stated
TOTAL	92,682	71,458	21,210	14
Resident Bride	88,445	68,336	20,096	13
Resident Groom	83,464	64,030	19,421	13
Nonresident Groom	4,979	4,304	675	--
Not Stated	2	2	--	--
Nonresident Bride	4,237	3,122	1,114	1
Resident Groom	1,106	737	369	--
Nonresident Groom	3,131	2,385	745	1
Not Stated	--	--	--	--

Table 19 -- ALL MARRIAGES, FIRST MARRIAGES, AND REMARRIAGES, BY RESIDENT STATUS OF GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Resident Status	All Marriages	First Marriages	Remarriages	Not Stated
TOTAL	92,682	69,281	23,386	15
Resident Groom	84,570	63,121	21,436	13
Resident Bride	83,464	62,356	21,095	13
Nonresident Bride	1,106	765	341	--
Not Stated	--	--	--	--
Nonresident Groom	8,112	6,160	1,950	2
Resident Bride	4,981	4,015	966	--
Nonresident Bride	3,131	2,145	984	2
Not Stated	--	--	--	--

Table 20 -- MARRIAGES BY STATE OF RESIDENCE OF BRIDE AND GROOM: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

State of Residence	Bride	Groom	State of Residence	Bride	Groom
ALL STATES	92,682	92,682			
Alabama	16	29	Nebraska	3	15
Alaska	5	14	Nevada	8	14
Arizona	29	42	New Hampshire	13	33
Arkansas	4	14	New Jersey	753	1,387
California	144	280	New Mexico	5	12
Colorado	55	95	New York	568	999
Connecticut	69	142	North Carolina	51	137
Delaware	155	262	North Dakota	3	12
District of Columbia	48	70	Ohio	763	1,191
Florida	180	319	Oklahoma	13	40
Georgia	49	100	Oregon	7	20
Hawaii	5	14	Pennsylvania	88,445	84,570
Idaho	8	19	Rhode Island	13	25
Illinois	80	190	South Carolina	25	69
Indiana	45	109	South Dakota	5	8
Iowa	9	31	Tennessee	18	62
Kansas	12	42	Texas	70	202
Kentucky	18	54	Utah	3	5
Louisiana	12	27	Vermont	6	16
Maine	19	41	Virginia	247	466
Maryland	303	581	Washington	18	26
Massachusetts	80	184	West Virginia	120	242
Michigan	67	189	Wisconsin	15	44
Minnesota	14	28	Wyoming	6	11
Mississippi	4	19	Territories and Possessions	1	2
Missouri	18	54	Foreign Countries	51	113
Montana	4	10	Not Stated	--	2

Figure 3 -- AGE OF MARRIAGE OF BRIDE AND GROOM, PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

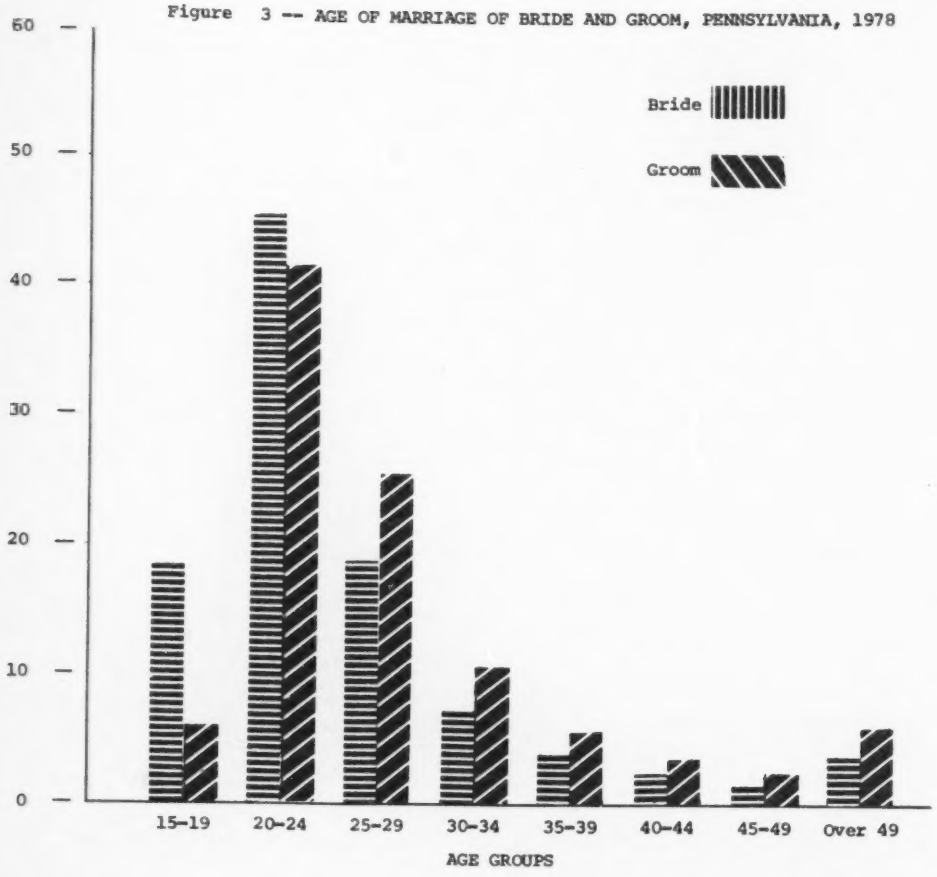
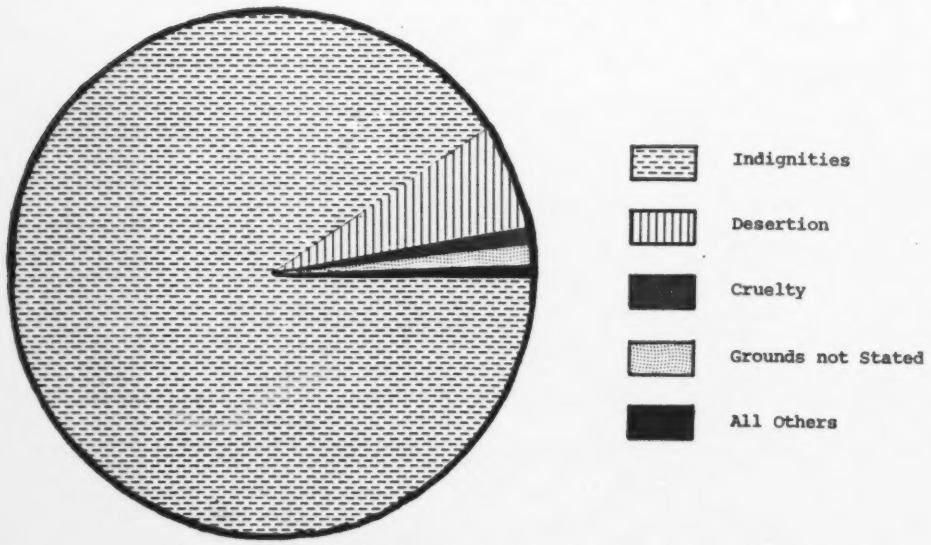


Figure 4 -- LEGAL GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE, PENNSYLVANIA, 1978



DIVORCE TABLES

Figure 2 — DIVORCE RATES, PENNSYLVANIA, 1944-1978

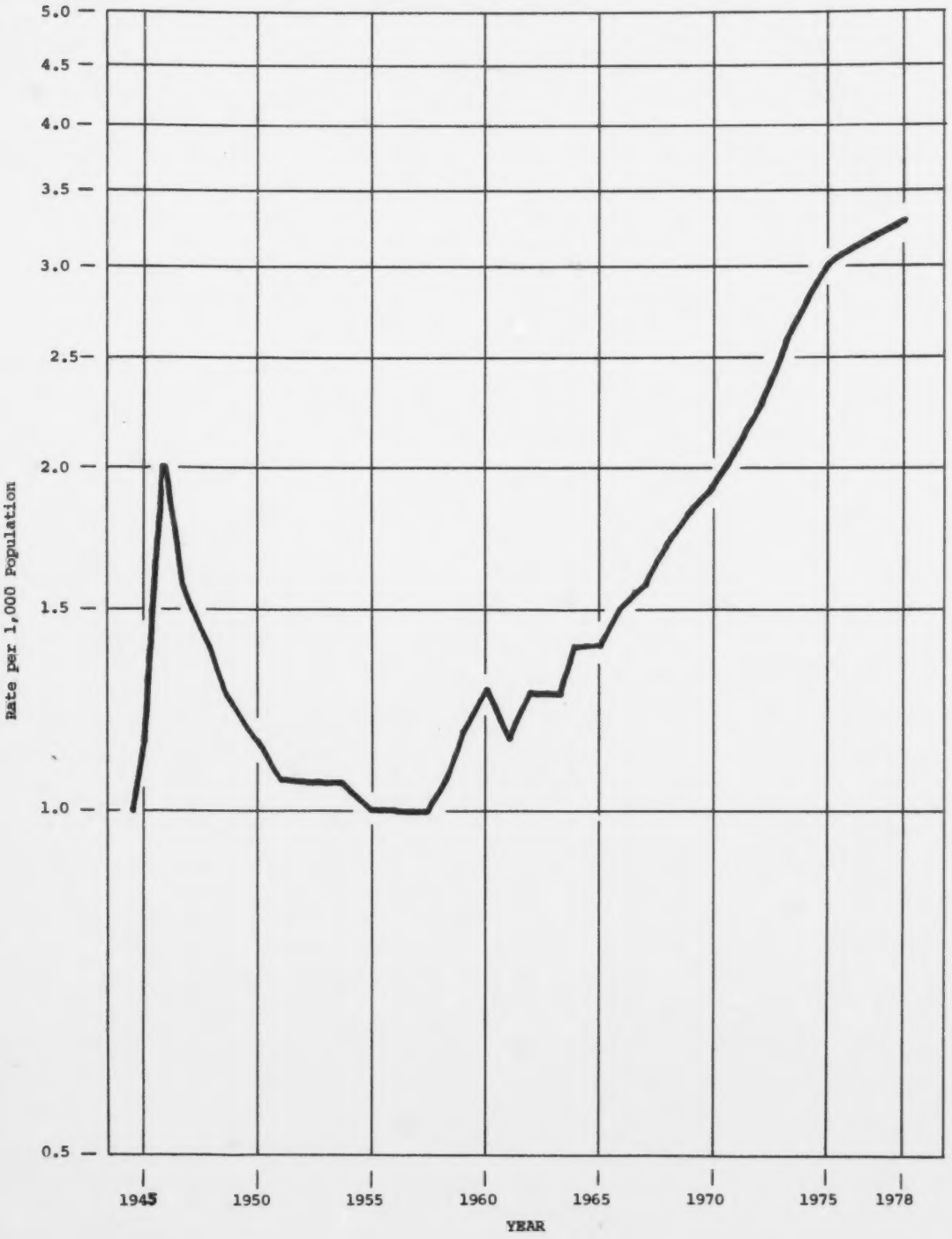


Table 21 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS, NUMBER AND RATE, OCCURRING IN PENNSYLVANIA, 1944-1978

Year	Number	Rate*	Year	Number	Rate*
1944	10,320	1.0	1962	14,316	1.3
1945	12,625	1.2	1963	14,789	1.3
1946	20,909	2.0	1964	16,139	1.4
1947	16,308	1.6	1965	16,578	1.4
1948	14,812	1.4	1966	16,940	1.5
1949	13,167	1.3	1967	18,668	1.6
1950	12,096	1.2	1968	20,326	1.7
1951	11,743	1.1	1969	21,580	1.8
1952	11,905	1.1	1970	22,622	1.9
1953	12,121	1.1	1971	25,110	2.1
1954	11,711	1.1	1972	27,501	2.3
1955	11,103	1.0	1973	31,005	2.6
1956	11,480	1.0	1974	32,899	2.8
1957	11,651	1.0	1975	34,955	3.0
1958	12,243	1.1	1976	36,531	3.1
1959	13,891	1.2	1977	37,868	3.2
1960	14,429	1.3	1978	38,261	3.3
1961	13,606	1.2			

*Rate per 1,000 population.

Table 22 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY LEGAL GROUNDS FOR DECREE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Legal Grounds for Decree	Total	Divorces	Annulments
TOTAL	38,261	38,165	96
Indignities	34,584	34,578	6
Desertion	2,517	2,517	--
Cruelty	352	352	--
Conviction of Crime	54	54	--
Bigamy	32	12	20
Adultery	37	37	--
Fraud	9	8	1
Impotency	4	3	1
Coercion or Incestuous Marriage	1	1	--
Miscellaneous	78	17	61
Not Stated	593	586	7

Table 23 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY PARTY GRANTED DECREE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Party Granted Decree	Total	Divorces	Annulments
TOTAL	38,261	38,165	96
Husband	12,824	12,800	24
Wife	22,136	22,069	67
Other	1	1	--
Not Stated	3,300	3,295	5

Table 24 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY PLAINTIFF: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Plaintiff	Total	Divorces	Annulments
TOTAL	38,261	32,848	5,413
Husband	13,842	11,988	1,854
Wife	23,600	20,228	3,372
Other	11	10	1
Not Stated	808	622	186

Table 25 -- LEGAL GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT BY DURATION OF MARRIAGE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Duration of Marriage	Total	Legal Grounds for Decree									
		Indignities	Cruelty	Desertion	Adultery	Conviction of a Crime	Impotency	Bigamy	Fraud	Miscellaneous	Not Stated
TOTAL	38,261	34,584	352	2,517	37	54	4	32	9	79	593
Under 1 Year	172	156	8	2	2	--	--	--	--	2	2
1 Year	1,397	1,332	16	4	--	1	--	3	4	14	23
2 Years	2,472	2,357	38	11	7	1	1	3	4	9	41
3 Years	3,034	2,876	23	63	2	5	1	7	--	8	49
4 Years	3,066	2,886	36	92	--	5	--	2	--	8	37
5 Years	3,099	2,857	32	135	3	7	--	1	1	5	58
6 Years	2,718	2,510	22	126	--	8	--	3	--	4	45
7 Years	2,376	2,175	20	138	3	5	1	--	--	4	30
8 Years	2,159	1,955	19	141	2	3	--	2	--	4	33
9 Years	1,881	1,708	15	134	--	2	--	--	--	4	18
10 Years	1,647	1,477	14	125	2	1	--	2	--	2	24
11 Years	1,361	1,223	16	98	--	3	--	1	--	1	19
12 Years	1,266	1,107	14	122	2	4	--	1	--	2	14
13 Years	1,147	1,029	9	91	2	2	--	--	--	1	13
14 Years	1,001	891	7	88	--	--	--	--	--	--	15
15 Years	889	792	4	69	--	--	--	--	--	1	23
16 Years	691	610	5	62	1	1	--	--	--	--	12
17 Years	683	603	2	66	1	1	--	1	--	--	9
18 Years	666	577	9	60	2	1	--	--	--	2	15
19 Years	623	546	8	53	1	--	--	2	--	1	12
20-24 Years	2,577	2,236	15	285	3	1	1	1	--	3	32
25-29 Years	1,633	1,372	10	219	2	1	--	1	--	3	25
30-34 Years	900	728	6	147	1	--	--	1	--	--	17
35-39 Years	335	233	1	95	--	--	--	--	--	1	5
Over 39 Years	209	134	1	72	--	--	--	1	--	--	1
Not Stated	259	214	2	19	1	2	--	--	--	--	21

Table 26 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY AGE OF WIFE AND NUMBER OF TIMES MARRIED: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age of Wife	All Divorces and Annulments	Number of Times Married				
		One	Two	Three	Four or More	Not Stated
ALL AGES	38,261	26,303	4,348	566	92	6,952
Under 15	19	17	1	1	--	--
15	1	--	1	--	--	--
16	9	9	--	--	--	--
17	32	30	--	--	--	2
18	132	124	1	--	--	7
19	329	300	1	--	--	28
20	608	559	12	--	--	37
21	1,039	968	14	--	--	57
22	1,326	1,205	35	1	--	85
23	1,495	1,367	51	4	--	73
24	1,747	1,566	66	5	--	110
25	1,779	1,599	86	7	--	87
26	1,809	1,586	130	6	1	86
27	1,684	1,429	156	6	--	93
28	1,709	1,427	192	13	1	76
29	1,505	1,250	162	16	2	75
30	1,479	1,171	198	17	1	92
31	1,484	1,174	216	22	2	70
32	1,236	957	207	19	2	51
33	981	787	145	17	--	32
34	943	731	145	19	3	45
35	980	720	186	21	2	51
36	993	753	177	16	3	44
37	811	582	167	18	5	39
38	746	551	146	15	3	31
39	668	476	138	26	3	25
40	618	425	139	23	4	27
41	550	386	116	17	5	26
42	556	403	106	21	3	23
43	516	369	111	16	2	18
44	455	316	101	14	4	20
45-49	1,823	1,274	369	60	15	105
50-54	1,210	777	288	67	12	66
55-59	661	373	213	41	6	28
60-64	320	168	109	20	4	19
65-69	142	67	55	10	4	6
70-74	50	25	12	11	2	--
Over 74	20	4	11	4	--	1
Not Stated	5,796	378	85	13	3	5,317

Table 27 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY AGE OF HUSBAND AND NUMBER OF TIMES MARRIED: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Age of Husband	All Divorces and Annulments	Number of Times Married				
		One	Two	Three	Four or More	Not Stated
ALL AGES	38,261	26,170	4,497	571	82	6,941
Under 15	5	5	--	--	--	--
15	1	1	--	--	--	--
16	1	1	--	--	--	--
17	3	3	--	--	--	--
18	11	11	--	--	--	--
19	81	79	--	--	--	2
20	214	197	2	--	--	15
21	450	426	4	--	--	20
22	744	688	7	--	--	49
23	987	909	15	--	--	63
24	1,260	1,165	31	--	--	64
25	1,423	1,270	58	4	--	91
26	1,629	1,462	87	4	--	76
27	1,620	1,439	92	3	--	86
28	1,641	1,436	110	15	1	79
29	1,619	1,375	141	4	--	99
30	1,716	1,432	175	19	1	89
31	1,755	1,451	207	22	2	73
32	1,275	1,007	191	18	1	58
33	1,203	956	174	19	3	51
34	1,053	840	137	22	2	52
35	1,160	903	178	19	3	57
36	1,041	775	200	20	2	44
37	889	678	145	20	2	44
38	823	620	159	17	--	27
39	780	591	129	16	1	43
40	741	538	143	21	3	36
41	682	509	119	19	4	31
42	625	456	124	15	2	28
43	622	438	134	20	3	27
44	563	409	112	15	2	25
45-49	2,331	1,631	515	73	10	102
50-54	1,720	1,110	433	70	12	95
55-59	990	603	285	45	10	47
60-64	509	289	160	27	7	26
65-69	261	117	108	21	1	14
70-74	106	44	45	10	2	5
Over 74	62	18	32	7	4	1
Not Stated	5,665	288	45	6	4	5,322

Table 28 -- AGE OF WIFE AT TIME OF DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT BY DURATION OF FIRST MARRIAGE OR REMARRIAGE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Durarion of Marriage of Wife	All Ages	Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45-49 Years	50-54 Years	55-59 Years	60 Years and Over	Not Stated
ALL DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS	38,261	19	503	6,215	8,486	6,123	4,198	2,695	1,823	1,210	661	532	5,796
Married Once	26,303	17	463	5,665	7,291	4,820	3,082	1,899	1,274	777	373	264	378
Under 1 Year	68	--	8	30	20	5	--	--	1	1	--	1	2
1 Year	711	--	137	393	108	32	11	4	3	1	--	2	20
2 Years	1,494	1	176	941	271	43	20	5	2	4	4	1	26
3 Years	1,865	1	96	1,209	445	57	16	5	3	3	1	2	27
4 Years	2,014	2	33	1,199	641	79	18	11	7	2	--	1	21
5 Years	2,046	1	2	940	910	118	24	12	4	3	--	1	31
6 Years	1,868	1	3	569	1,047	170	35	11	5	3	1	1	22
7 Years	1,636	2	--	238	1,084	234	33	14	5	2	2	--	22
8 Years	1,511	--	1	91	997	349	40	9	3	1	2	1	17
9 Years	1,291	--	1	16	753	421	72	10	2	2	2	1	11
10-14 Years	4,641	6	2	6	958	2,735	701	96	42	17	9	5	64
15-19 Years	2,632	1	--	2	7	538	1,616	356	58	18	5	3	28
20-24 Years	1,964	1	1	1	2	4	474	1,087	277	65	14	8	30
25-29 Years	1,282	1	--	1	4	1	1	264	695	237	45	13	20
Over 29 Years	1,280	--	3	29	44	34	21	15	167	418	288	224	37
Duration not stated	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Married More Than Once	5,006	2	3	188	778	1,013	926	682	444	367	260	242	101
Under 1 Year	54	--	--	8	8	8	16	3	2	5	1	3	--
1 Year	358	--	1	44	66	82	47	29	26	19	15	22	7
2 Years	502	--	1	56	134	116	68	40	26	27	13	10	11
3 Years	562	--	--	43	150	127	86	49	29	32	19	16	11
4 Years	464	--	--	18	114	113	84	45	30	21	11	20	8
5 Years	471	1	--	9	118	117	81	48	28	22	16	20	11
6 Years	352	--	--	6	66	93	66	37	24	25	14	13	8
7 Years	300	--	--	1	51	91	69	39	16	13	6	9	5
8 Years	275	1	--	--	35	79	62	37	27	10	12	7	5
9 Years	252	--	--	--	12	72	75	34	19	13	11	10	6
10-14 Years	724	--	--	--	15	101	209	189	76	54	44	21	15
15-19 Years	321	--	1	--	--	4	52	87	69	49	21	31	7
20-24 Years	200	--	--	--	--	--	5	35	62	39	33	22	4
25-29 Years	65	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	8	20	23	10	1
Over 29 Years	106	--	--	3	9	10	6	7	2	18	21	28	2
Duration not stated	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Not stated whether married once or more than once	6,952	--	37	362	417	290	190	114	105	66	28	26	5,317

Table 29 -- AGE OF HUSBAND AT TIME OF DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT BY DURATION OF FIRST MARRIAGE OR REMARRIAGE: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Duration of Marriage of Husband	All Ages	Age of Husband											
		Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45-49 Years	50-54 Years	55-59 Years	60 Years and Over	Not Stated
ALL DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS	38,261	5	97	3,655	7,932	7,002	4,693	3,233	2,331	1,720	990	938	5,665
Married Once	26,170	5	95	3,385	6,982	5,686	3,567	2,350	1,631	1,110	603	468	288
Under 1 Year	79	--	5	30	24	14	1	3	--	1	--	--	1
1 Year	704	1	45	366	187	56	18	10	4	4	2	--	11
2 Years	1,458	1	31	757	472	118	26	14	7	6	3	3	20
3 Years	1,814	--	7	841	707	166	37	12	8	6	2	3	25
4 Years	1,944	--	--	729	910	204	47	15	3	5	4	1	26
5 Years	2,051	1	--	414	1,174	330	65	22	13	6	6	2	18
6 Years	1,832	--	2	176	1,125	383	83	25	6	4	5	3	20
7 Years	1,649	1	2	44	927	526	88	18	17	6	2	5	13
8 Years	1,515	--	1	7	703	626	118	26	8	3	2	2	19
9 Years	1,294	--	--	2	396	689	139	33	12	4	6	3	10
10-14 Years	4,666	--	--	1	315	2,381	1,432	329	77	48	21	15	47
15-19 Years	2,646	--	--	--	2	145	1,366	804	204	61	25	17	22
20-24 Years	1,982	1	1	3	--	--	125	966	645	156	41	17	27
25-29 Years	1,260	--	--	--	1	--	--	60	587	447	113	41	11
Over 29 Years	1,110	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	23	350	367	353	14
Duration not stated	166	--	1	15	39	48	21	11	17	3	4	3	4
Married more than once	5,150	--	--	59	519	993	911	736	598	515	340	424	55
Under 1 Year	42	--	--	1	4	10	5	7	3	3	6	3	--
1 Year	363	--	--	13	63	68	58	44	28	22	20	39	8
2 Years	540	--	--	17	121	145	77	50	48	29	27	19	7
3 Years	615	--	--	15	122	157	107	65	31	51	26	34	7
4 Years	534	--	--	7	88	142	95	66	61	23	21	26	5
5 Years	471	--	--	3	59	126	101	52	45	32	17	31	5
6 Years	391	--	--	--	30	110	77	67	34	35	14	22	2
7 Years	291	--	--	--	14	72	73	56	30	22	8	13	3
8 Years	267	--	--	--	10	59	72	35	39	20	14	15	3
9 Years	249	--	--	--	2	51	66	48	21	21	21	18	1
10-14 Years	695	--	--	--	1	46	161	151	117	106	49	58	6
15-19 Years	307	--	--	--	--	--	13	75	84	61	34	39	1
20-24 Years	183	--	--	1	--	--	--	10	46	57	32	35	2
25-29 Years	94	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	27	32	25	2
Over 29 Years	64	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	16	45	1
Duration not stated	44	--	--	2	5	7	6	10	2	5	3	2	2
Not stated whether married once or more than once	6,941	--	2	211	431	323	215	147	102	95	47	46	5,322

Table 30 -- DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS DISTRIBUTED ACCORDING TO STATE WHERE MARRIAGE WAS PERFORMED: PENNSYLVANIA, 1978

Area	Total	Divorces	Annulments
ALL STATES	38,261	38,165	96
Alabama	55	55	--
Alaska	3	3	--
Arizona	27	27	--
Arkansas	14	14	--
California	163	162	1
Colorado	40	40	--
Connecticut	70	70	--
Delaware	110	110	--
District of Columbia	67	67	--
Florida	211	210	1
Georgia	119	119	--
Hawaii	26	26	--
Idaho	5	5	--
Illinois	125	125	--
Indiana	91	91	--
Iowa	15	15	--
Kansas	17	17	--
Kentucky	46	46	--
Louisiana	34	34	--
Maine	22	22	--
Maryland	2,810	2,787	23
Massachusetts	131	131	--
Michigan	97	96	1
Minnesota	26	26	--
Mississippi	32	32	--
Missouri	34	34	--
Montana	7	7	--
Nebraska	8	8	--
Nevada	90	90	--
New Hampshire	16	16	--
New Jersey	791	788	3
New Mexico	13	13	--
New York	877	877	--
North Carolina	286	283	3
North Dakota	1	1	--
Ohio	274	273	1
Oklahoma	27	26	1
Oregon	15	15	--
Pennsylvania	28,830	28,783	47
Rhode Island	23	22	1
South Carolina	211	210	1
South Dakota	7	7	--
Tennessee	46	45	1
Texas	120	119	1
Utah	6	6	--
Vermont	14	14	--
Virginia	1,005	998	7
Washington	25	25	--
West Virginia	155	153	2
Wisconsin	30	30	--
Wyoming	2	2	--
Territories and Possessions	67	67	--
Foreign Countries	471	470	1
Not Stated	454	453	1